

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3627**

PATENT
5681-90200/P7218

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/099,697	§	Examiner:	Rudy, Andrew J.
Filed: March 15, 2002	§	Group/Art Unit:	3627
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Title: Line Item Approval	§		
Processing in an Electronic	§		
Purchasing System and	§		
Method	§		
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RESPONSE TO FINAL ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 15, 2006

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Final Action of September 15, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.